

Item 5

Matters for Tabling

5.1 Disclosures of Interest

Disclosure of Interest returns that have been lodged in accordance with the City of Sydney Code of Conduct are being received and collated by staff.

Recommendation

It is resolved that Council note that Disclosures of Interest returns will be received and noted following the resumption of in-person meetings.

5.2 Petitions

(a) Unrestricted Parking Northern Side of Hansard Street, Zetland

Councillor Phelps gives notice that, at the meeting of Council on Monday, 28 June 2021, she will table and speak to a petition (containing 120 signatures) with the following terms:

Petition requesting that the existing and currently approved proposal for unrestricted parking on the northern side of Hansard Street, Zetland, between Portman Street and Joynton Avenue, be maintained and not be revised to 2P 8am to 10pm.

To City of Sydney Councillors:

The petition of concerned citizens of the City of Sydney LGA brings to the attention of Council that petitioners below oppose the revised proposal of enforcing 2P 8am to 10pm time limits in the abovementioned section of Hansard Street because:

1. Due consideration needs to be given to residents of the City West Housing (CWH) community housing development located at 50 Hansard Street / 130-132 Portman Street, Zetland, who do not have access to off-street residential parking and have no option but to park on residential streets during the day and at night – the proposed changes will severely disadvantage many residents who are not entitled to resident parking permits and do not have the financial capacity either to rent a garage or pay potentially ongoing parking fines due to the revised proposal.
2. Proposed parking changes for Portman Street, Zetland, from Zetland Avenue to Hansard Street will result in a net loss of 32 parking spaces on Portman Street for residents which could be helped in some way by access to additional unrestricted parking spaces on Hansard Street.
3. The Neighbourhood Parking Policy should benefit all residents equally and not cause unfair disadvantage to residents who are not entitled to parking exemptions through a residents parking permit scheme.

Your petitioners request that Council not support this change to currently approved unrestricted parking on the northern side of Hansard Street, Zetland.

(b) Two Hour Metred Parking Both Sides of Hansard Street

Councillor Phelps gives notice that, at the meeting of Council on Monday, 28 June 2021, she will table and speak to a petition (containing 122 signatures) with the following terms:

Petition requesting that the revised proposal for all 2 hour metred parking on both sides of Hansard Street, Zetland, between Dunning Avenue and Portman Street revert from 2P 8am – 10pm back to the currently approved time of 2P 8am – 6pm.

To City of Sydney Councillors:

The petition of concerned citizens of the City of Sydney LGA brings to the attention of Council that petitioners below oppose the revised proposal of 2 hour metred parking time limits in the abovementioned section of Hansard Street changing from 8am – 6pm to 8am – 10pm because:

1. Due consideration needs to be given to residents of the City West Housing (CWH) community housing development located at 50 Hansard Street / 130-132 Portman Street, Zetland, who are not eligible for residents parking permits and do not have the same access to parking vouchers for their visitors as has been afforded to a majority of their Hansard Street neighbours.
2. Proposed parking changes for Portman Street, Zetland, from Zetland Avenue to Hansard Street will result in a net loss of 32 parking spaces on Portman Street for residents.
3. The Neighbourhood Parking Policy should benefit all residents equally and not cause unfair disadvantage to residents who are not entitled to parking exemptions through a residents parking permit scheme.

Your petitioners request that Council not support this change to the currently approved time limit for this section of Hansard Street, Zetland.

Recommendation

It is resolved that the Petitions be received and noted.